

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

IN RE APPLICATION OF: Katsumi ABE, et al.

SERIAL NO: 09/893,684

FILED: June 29, 2001

FOR: METHOD FOR PURIFYING ELECTRONIC MATERIAL



GAU: 1751

EXAMINER: Kopec, M.

REQUEST FOR EXTENSION OF TIME
UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.136

COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS
ALEXANDRIA, VIRGINIA 22313

SIR:

It is hereby requested that a two month extension of time be granted to July 25, 2004 for

- filing a response to the Official Action dated:
- responding to the requirements in the Notice of Allowability dated:
- filing the Formal Drawings. The Issue Fee due has been timely filed.
- responding to the Notice to File Missing Parts of Application dated:
- filing a Notice of Appeal. A timely response to the final rejection is being filed concurrently.
- filing an Appeal Brief. A Notice of Appeal was filed on:
- Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27. Therefore, the fee amount shown below is reduced by one-half.

The required fee of \$420.00 is enclosed herewith by credit card payment and any further charges may be made against the Attorney of Record's Deposit Account No. 15-0030. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

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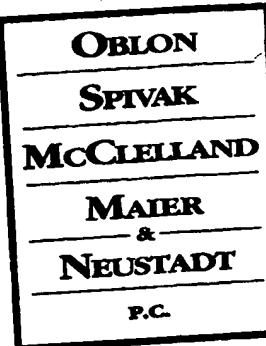
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Dear Mr. Lebron:

Enclosed is a copy of a portion of our deposit account statement of August, 2004. See the highlighted charges on serial number 09/893,684 for \$330.00 on fee code #1401 and \$86.00 on fee code #1201.

On November 19, 2003, an amendment containing four independent claims was filed in this application. A credit card payment form for American Express in the amount of \$86.00 was included in that filing to pay for the extra independent claim. The amendment filed July 26, 2004, did not add additional independent claims. The credit card form included with that filing also paid \$330.00 for the Notice of Appeal. Therefore, there should not be any additional charges on our account for this application.

Please review this application and kindly refund \$416.00 to deposit account #150030. Copies of the appropriate paperwork are attached. If you have any questions, please contact Debbie Noel at (703) 412-6296. Thank you for your assistance in this matter.

With best regards,

OBLON, SPIVAK, McCLELLAND,
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A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Debra J. Noel".

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In the matter of the Application of: Kishinji ABE, et al.
For: METHOD FOR PURIFYING ELECTRONIC ITEM MATERIAL

Due Date: 11-19-03

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Docket No. 210385US0

IN RE APPLICATION OF: Katsumi ABE, et al.

Serial No. 09/499,684

FILED: June 29, 2001

FOR: METHOD FOR PURIFYING ELECTRONIC ITEM MATERIAL

COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS
ALEXANDRIA, VIRGINIA 22313

SIR:
Transmitted herewith is an amendment and request for reconsideration in the above-identified application.

- No additional fee is required
- Small entity status of this application under 37 C.F.R. §1.9 and §1.27 is claimed.
- Additional documents filed herewith:

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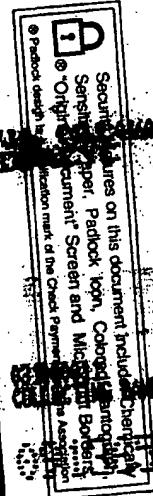
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In the matter of the Application of: Kazumi ABE, et al.

For: METHOD FOR PURIFYING ELECTRONIC ITEM MATERIAL

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FILED: June 29, 2001
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FOR: **METHOD FOR PRACTICE**

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SIR:
Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.

- No additional fee is required
 - Small entity status of this application under 37 C.F.R. §1.9 and §1.27 is claimed.
 - Additional documents filed herewith: Request for Extension of Time (two months) C.F.R. 1.132

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SIR:

Applicants hereby appeal to the Board of Appeals from the decision dated February 25, 2004

The items checked below are appropriate:

- A Petition for Extension of Time Under 37 C.F.R. §1.136 was filed for months.
 A timely response to the final rejection is being filed herewith, as provided in 341 O.G. 1411.
 A Petition for Extension of Time Under 37 C.F.R. §1.136 is attached.

Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27.

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